

late the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March 23, 1906.

SEC. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Amendment.

Approved, March 3, 1925.

**CHAP. 445.**—An Act To authorize the building of a bridge across the Catawba River in South Carolina

March 3, 1925.  
[S. 4211.]  
[Public, No. 563.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the State Highway Department of South Carolina be, and is hereby, authorized to construct, maintain and operate a highway bridge and approaches thereto across the Catawba River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation at or near the town of Fort Lawn, between the counties of Chester and Lancaster, South Carolina, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March 23, 1906.*

Catawba River.  
South Carolina may  
bridge, Fort Lawn,  
S. C.

Construction.  
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SEC. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Amendment.

Approved, March 3, 1925.

**CHAP. 446.**—An Act To authorize the building of a bridge across the Broad River in South Carolina

March 3, 1925.  
[S. 4212.]  
[Public, No. 564.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the State Highway Department of South Carolina be, and is hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a highway bridge and approaches thereto across the Broad River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation at or near a point known as Strothers Ferry, between the counties of Newberry and Fairfield, South Carolina, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March 23, 1906.*

Broad River.  
South Carolina may  
bridge, near Strothers  
Ferry.

Construction.  
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SEC. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Amendment.

Approved, March 3, 1925.

**CHAP. 447.**—An Act To amend section 2 of the Act of June 7, 1924 (Public 270), entitled "An act to provide for the protection of forest lands, for the reforestation of denuded areas, for the extension of national forests, and for other purposes," in order to promote the continuous production of timber on lands chiefly suitable therefor.

March 3, 1925.  
[S. 4224.]  
[Public No. 565.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the third sentence of section 2 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the protection of forest lands, for the reforestation of denuded areas, for the extension of national forests, and for other purposes," in order to promote the continuous production of timber on lands chiefly suitable therefor, approved June 7, 1924 (Public, 270), is amended by adding after the words "forest producing lands" the following: "or watersheds from which water is secured for domestic use or irrigation," so that section 2 as amended will read as follows:*

Forest protection.  
Ante, p. 633, amend-  
ed.

"SEC. 2. If the Secretary of Agriculture shall find that the system and practice of forest fire prevention and suppression pro-

Extension to water-  
sheds for domestic  
water supply or irriga-  
tion.